

GIRL DEFEATS ATTEMPT TO SILENCE

SAVES RACE FROM GIVES DOWN UNDER GRILLING, CONFESSIONS WEALTHY WHITE AND NEGRO COMMITTED ASSAULT.

LYNCHING IS AVERTED

Youth Is Held On Statutory Charge After His Confession, Girl Asks Court To Be Lenient.

ROCKVILLE, Md., August 19.—Mary Price, 19 years old, of Silver Springs, Md., has related her story that she had been attacked by a Negro and that she had saved the race from a lynch mob.

Following the attack, word was broadcast by newspaper and by mouth that a white girl, Mary Price, 19, had been raped by a Negro named Silver Springs.

A lynch mob, and vicious bloodhounds set out in hot pursuit of the Negro. Two days scouring of Montgomery county, however, failed to reveal the culprit.

But Mary could not stand the grilling of Deputy Sheriff Guy Jones, and she broke down in tears and exposed the whole dastardly plot in which a white girl, Mary Price, 19, was the real offender, while the Negro in the case was the creation of her own imagination.

When asked why she accused a Negro Mary declared she did it to protect her reputation.

Mrs. Peters-Parkhurst recently announced her candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Congress, U. S. Senator, at the next election.

Parkhurst was supported by Sheriff G. Ingel and Joseph C. Cissell, State's attorney in Rockville.

Following several days' grilling, young Parkhurst was held for formal charges, which were placed against her.

"The girl said she had been severely punished, would not be given in. She said Parkhurst, she said she was afraid of him, she should lessen the seriousness of his act."

Colored Farmer One Year Grew 12,150 Bushels More Than Any Other Grower In The World.

Was Born Slave, But Struggled Up To Riches And Independence. Was A Heavy Investor.

KANSAS CITY, Kansas, August 19.—John G. Groves, the "Negro potato king," who at one time raised potatoes that any other person in the world, succumbed to a heart attack at his home near Edwinstown, Kansas, Monday.

The grand old man suffered ill health for several months, but his spirit of determination would not allow him to quit. He managed to keep at his work until his last load of potatoes from this year's crop was sold two weeks ago. He then retired to his home, where he remained until the fatal stroke came.

Born In Slavery.—Groves' career is a story that is one of the greatest careers of agriculture in the United States. Although he was born a slave, he was not to be daunted in his desire for a fruitful life. He was born in Green County, Kentucky in 1830. The age of 16, he was sold to a man named John Smith, who was a farmer. He was then sold to a man named John Smith, who was a farmer. He was then sold to a man named John Smith, who was a farmer.

FLORIDA LYNCHERS ARE IDENTIFIED

Two Men Given Seven Years Each On The State Prison For Beating Aged Grocer To Death.

Associated Negro Press JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Aug. 19.—For the first time in a number of years in this county, two white men have been sentenced to prison for killing a Negro. J. R. Sellers and H. Johnson were sentenced to the state prison for beating a 70-year-old Negro grocer to death.

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DENTIST IN SPINGARN PRIZE AWARDED

LOCAL PLAYWRIGHT SCORES IN COUNTRYWIDE CONTEST, 700 PARTICIPATE, NAME OTHER WINNERS.

Mrs. Ruth A. G. Shelton, a native of Missouri and resident of St. Louis, and a well known playwright among St. Louisans, brought much honor to her fair state and city in winning second honors for play writing in the Amy Spingarn Literary and Art Contest.

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CITY GREENS LBF-S.S.I.T. CONVENTION

Two Hundred Delegates In Attendance At Annual Gathering In The Central Baptist Church.

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SWIMMING POOL.
The grandest swimming pool of Metropolis (La.) N. E. 23m corner Lucas and Garrison ave will open to the public every from 9 a. m. to 6 p. m. Friday p. m. to 6:30 p. m. — Women's sideboard of trustees—H. H. Jackson, President; J. W. Jackson, Vice-President; J. W. Jackson, Secretary; J. W. Jackson, Treasurer; J. W. Jackson, Auditor; J. W. Jackson, Librarian; J. W. Jackson, Steward; J. W. Jackson, Chaplain; J. W. Jackson, Pastor.

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THEATRES

IDA COX AND SMART SNAPPY VAUDEVILLE AT THE BOOKER

Ida Cox is the featured attraction at the Booker Washington Theatre this week and the favorite blues singer is making a hit with her class of music. Miss Cox is including in her repertoire "Wild Woman," "Graveyard Round" and "Dead Letter," all blues songs that meet the favor of the audiences. Mr. Crump, who accompanies her on the piano, also has a song, "Mr. Moon Man," and an original instrumental selection. The act is pleasing crowd-pleasers nightly. Large numbers of people are coming to see the singing and dancing act with some spicy comedy interspersed. Their repertoire, a telephone song, is clever. Among their song numbers are "Where The Red Rose Grows," "Telephone," "It's a Man Every Time," and "How Come You Do, etc." All are witty and fringed with touch of graceful dancing.

Cleo Desmond and J. E. Jewell have a domestic comedy that is entertaining its theme is based on who is boss of the house. The wife asserted, her intention to go to a dance against his wishes but he proved the master though he had to resort to a pistol to put it over. Miss Desmond displays good voice in singing "My Love Ain't Blind No More."

Joe Simms and "Dope" Warfield are the comedy pair. Warfield gets much fun out of Simms' job as a U. S. Letter Carrier. Their "What Do You Think About That?" is a humorous hit. Warfield sings and does some good dancing. "Dope" has a hit with his song "I Wonder Who's There and Who's Not?" Makes Me Think of Home. Sweet Home is a whopper. The show is one of the best vaudeville combinations this season.

MONTELLA'S RADIO GIRLS NEXT WEEK

Boscoe Montella's Radio Girls will come to the Booker Washington Theatre Monday for a week's engagement. This is a good solid company of musical comedy performers featuring "Kid Lips," the "Charleston" King, Skeet Winston and Geniva Stemmons, the home town girl. Monday will be pay day for the patrons. Each person who enters the theatre will receive an envelope containing some cash. Valuable coupon.

THE PICTURE THEATRES

THE STAR

Mrs. Wallace Reid in "Human Wreckage" will be the Star Theatre attraction this Saturday. The story deals with the growing divorce menace. It is a story of love, Mrs. Reid, stood by her husband in his tragic fight against dope. He told a powerful and humorous story about a great attorney who succumbs to narcotics and wins his struggle to free himself of the curse. Romance and a delightful vein of humor leaven the production. James Kirkwood and Fred Thomson and his horse, Silver King, will be seen in "The Wild Bull's Lair" on Sunday. It is a spectacular western picture. "The Denial" a Rough Riders romance, with Claire Windsor also be a Sunday feature.

Bob Custer will be seen in "That Man Jack" on Monday. Leo Maloney in "Across the Deadline," also "The Eagle's Feather" on Tuesday and the Wednesday feature will be Yakima Canutt in "The Human Tornado," and Jackie Coogan in "Robinson Crusoe."

"Never the Twain Shall Meet" will be the attraction next Thursday and Friday. It is a story of love, romance and adventure in the South Sea Islands with Anita Stewart and Bert Lytell in the leading roles.

The Comet

Thomas Meighan in "Old Home Week" will be the Comet Theatre feature this Saturday. It was adapted to the screen from an original story suggested by George Ade, one of the best known of American writers of humorous fiction. "Old Home Week" is a story of a man who returns to his old home town to find it changed with romance and sparkling wit.

Milton Sills will be seen in "The Making of O'Malley" on Sunday. It is a story of a man who returns to his old home town to find it changed with romance and sparkling wit.

"Heart of a Siren" will be presented next Friday. Barbara La Marr and Conway Tearle will be seen in this dramatically thrilling picture of social life in the European capitals.

THE RETINA

Wyatt and Hodge's "Dixie Dandy Minstrels" will be featured on the Retina Skydome stage on Saturday and Sunday. They are fifteen people in the show, including a jazz band.

"Pinto" Pete will be the film attraction in "The Diamond Bandit" at the theatre on Sunday.

A special attraction for Monday and Tuesday will be Mystic Ohomo, in person, a mind reader, who has just returned from the far East. There will be Oriental dancers also, featuring Neoma Joline in her "Dance of the Willows."

"The Dixie Handicap" will be the screen attraction next Thursday. It is a story of love, romance and adventure in the South Sea Islands with Anita Stewart and Bert Lytell in the leading roles.

The Jester

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"The Little French Girl" will be featured next Friday.

THE CASINO
Tom Mix and his wife, Victoria Forde, will be featured in "The Golden Thought" at the Casino Theatre this Saturday.

Jack Hoxie and his wife, Mary "Boud" will be the attraction on Sunday and Monday. The story concerns Hoxie's being accused of stealing the horses that joined the band and cut out the branded horses. A race of real riders tried to run the band over the border and the resulting conflict makes this an exciting story set in a realm of extra beauty.

William Fairbanks will be seen in a two-act drama of love and thrills, "Fighting South," on Tuesday. "Thunder," the dog and Clara Bow are featured in "Black Lightning," a love and adventure story on Wednesday. Edmund Lowe will be seen in "The Kiss Barrier" on Thursday. "Love and Glory" will be the special next Friday. It is a big production and rated as one of the most colorful pictures of the year. It is a romance of France, dating back to the Franco-Prussian war and the first commune, with a lapse of time which carries it to modern settings and situations. Featured in the picture are Charles De Roche, Wallace McDonald, Madge Bellamy and others.

THE OLYMPIA
"Are Parents People," the story of a girl who would not take her parents' divorce seriously, featuring Adolphe Menjou, Florence Vidor and Florence Vidor, will be the Olympia Theatre special this Saturday.

"The Desert Flower," a story presented on Sunday and Monday. Colleen Moore is the star. It tells of a little girl in a desert camp of a railroad construction gang, who escapes from the persecutions of a British stepfather to make her way in the world and provide for her baby sister. Finding the only avenue open to her the rough life of a circus, she is mining camp dance hall, she yet remains untarnished and in the end wins the love of the circus owner, who she had inspired to try again and to conquer.

Alice Joyce will be seen in "The Little French Girl," on Tuesday. "Flames of Desire" with Wyndham Standing and Diana Miller will be the Wednesday feature.

The attraction next Thursday and Friday will be "Just A Woman," featuring Conway Tearle and Claire Windsor. It is the story of a man and a woman who work up from poverty to riches, and meet disaster. An actress, who accidentally meets the doctor, falls in love with the husband. Through framed evidence she seeks to bring about a divorce between them, and to win him and his money. It is a highly emotional drama and one that will afford much thought for couples in domestic tangles.

THE LINCOLN
Constance Talmadge and Antonio Moreno in "Learning to Love" will be the Lincoln Theatre special this Saturday. It shows how a girl the flapper ways to capture a husband.

"The Triflers" will be shown on Sunday. It is a story of a beautiful girl, whose corroded viewpoint to cheapness life, and her eventual capitulation and admission that after all, "love is all" when the right man came along. Featured in the cast are eight screen stars: Mae Busch, Elliott Dexter, Frank Mayo, Eva Novak, Lee Moran, Walter Hiers, Dorothy Devier and Lloyd Walcott.

The balance of the week's program will have: a thrilling horse race picture, "Gold Heels," on Tuesday; Bebe Daniels in "Her Crowded Hour," and Fred Thomson in "The Wild Bull's Lair," on Wednesday; "Recompense" on Thursday; and "Adventure" next Friday.

THE VENUS
Bebe Daniels in "The Crowded Hour" will be the Venus Theatre special this Saturday. It is a story of a girl who develops a love with another woman's husband, who is a doctor. The girl will also be presented on the stage, with Irene Scruggs, the blues singer, and her company of six.

Mae Marsh will be seen in "Tides of Passion," on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday. It tells a powerful story, one that not only entertains but makes folks think. Its entertainment qualities are said to be without limit, and the height of thrills is reached when two girls find themselves married on a narrow ledge in the ocean, in imminent peril from the mad sea waves and the fishing village. The rescue forms one of the most startlingly realistic scenes ever filmed.

"Buddy Roosevelt in 'Fast Fightin'' will be the Wednesday special.

"Men and Women" will be presented on Thursday and Friday. An added attraction will be Ohama, the modern mental Mystic. He is said to be a past master in the mysteries of occult science, and mental telepathy. Neoma Bodine will give an oriental dance.

THE ROOSEVELT
Alice Joyce and Percy Marmont will be seen in "Daddy's Gone A-Hunting" at the Roosevelt Theatre this Sunday and Monday. Marmont added to his steadily growing popularity by his interpretation of Julian, the artist, "Daddy," who goes hunting for happiness and inspiration.

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NATIONAL LEAGUE
Games Called at 3 p. m.
BOX SEATS ON SALE
IN ADVANCE at BALL PARK.

delivery, succeeded in downing Memphis, 1 to 0, at Mack Park this afternoon.

Stars the rally came in the seventh when Smith slugged to center, went to second on a passed ball, advanced to third on Stearnes' fly. Kemp and scored while Mitty was throwing Kiggins out at first. Belk kept the six hits garnered from him delivery well scattered and fanned six of the visitor. It was the 8 men's seventh straight win.

Score by Innings—

Memphis0	+ (9) 000—9	6
Detroit0	+ 000 000 10x—1	1

Batteries: Tyler and Brown; Se
and Daniels.

Memphis Finally Wins
Tuesday, Aug. 18, Memphis broke the "Detroit Star" winning streak, winning 8 to 1.

While the Stars were unable to fathom the assortment of curves Moore was serving, error helped the Memphis team eventually in its scoring, the Stars making nine misplays.

Score by Innings—
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Batteries:—Moore and the Stars
Mead, Newsome, Knepper and Detroit.

PARIS' MOST POPULAR
SMALL CAFE OPERATED
BY COLORED AMERICANS

PARIS, Aug. 3.—In a tiny room
full of tobacco smoke and champagne fumes "fashionable" people
practically all of whose names have
figured in the front pages of American
newspapers, are guests of a
American colored woman, Florence
Taylor, who is considered one of the
beauties of Paris, whose complexion

mode of living has amazed even the

In "Florence's" as the cabaret is called, I saw eight or ten tables filled with people who tonight will struggle full dressed at the swagger and exclusive dinner dances at the Hotel Ritz. There was Reginald Vanderbilt, with Gloria his wife, and her sister, Mrs.

Thelma Converse. A yard away was Crane Garty, whose sensational

Ward from Padra Negrí afforded Holly wood a week's gossip. Fannie Ward, the girlish grandmother, with her effervescent husband, Jack Depp, had a table adjoining.

Vera "Kliffen" Lathmer, of Long Island and Broadway, snuggled into a corner next the heavily gowned and heavily beaded Vera. The richest host, did his dance especially hailed by Eskdale Gwynne, a Vanderbilt nephew, who is called the "play boy of Paris."

There was Mrs. Helen Havemeyer, recently divorced, who is the only society woman who never wears a crepeing gown. Across the table from her was Miss Beardon, former partner of the Duke of Devonshire. There were Russian princes and ostentatious members of America's aristocracy, and there were spenders

from Chicago's loop, Broadway and Hollywood's boulevards.

Florence, owner of the place, is a full-blooded American colored woman and says that she is from Harlem. She owns her rogue to the fact that the Prince of Wales visited her establishment three times, thrilling to the plantation melodies.

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A FAKE STORY OF AN ATTACK

As will be seen in another column of this paper a young white girl down at Silver Springs, Maryland, has confessed that she had faked up a story of a "Negro Attack" to shield her sweetheart, a young man of 19 years with whom she had been out with the night before. In telling the story of the attack, the young woman is said to have described in detail the circumstances including a minute description of the Negro.

This story aroused the indignation of the community, citizens as well as officers, and a posse was soon organized together with bloodhounds and in pursuit they went for a Negro fitting the description given by the girl. Every Negro's life in the community was in danger because of this false alarm. But happily no one was caught, strung up, shot and burned before the officers, thru close questioning of the girl, got a full confession from her, admitting that she had lied on the stand, and that young Parkhurst, her friend, was the guilty party.

A story of this kind should be given wide publicity. This is a typical case of the alleged Negro attack on white women. Nine times out of ten, the cry, "Negro Attack" is to shield a man or to shield a woman, and the Negro is the victim because he is the easy prey of mob violence.

We had a case like this recently in Missouri at Excelsior Springs. All of the real evidence points to a young white man who was in company with the girl the night before. A mob hung a Negro and the guilty party goes free.

Such stories should be thoroughly investigated because they are generally costly, both in life and property, as well as in ill feeling and good will.

THE MINISTERS' APPEAL TO SCHOOL BOARD

The Inter-denominational Ministers' Council, composed of most of the ministers of the city, presented a petition to the Board of Education, asking among other things for a Senior High School for the colored children east of Grand Boulevard.

The arguments, set forth in the petitions, were replete with facts, logic and reason. The need for this school was plain, backed with an appeal to the members of the School Board to act in the name of justice and right.

What more can the citizens do? They see the crying need. They feel the burden imposed upon the parents of these children; they know the justice of their cause. But it so happens that, we elect a School Board of men and women whose duty it is to meet the needs of the children to the end that necessary and adequate equipment be provided for every child in the city. If the Board fails to do its plain duty toward the Colored children, of course, the courts are open and relief may be sought through the courts. But the ministers of the city have chosen another course, an appeal to the consciences of the members of the School Board in the name of justice and right.

One of the excuses of the past, has been "too expensive." That is, it has been said by Supt. Maddox; it would be too expensive to buy ground and erect a high school building east of Grand for the Colored children. He bases his arguments principally on the cost in dollars and cents, thus he says, let the poor parents of these children pay the expense by compelling them to send their children across town to one high school.

Of course, the dual system of education is costly, but why should the Colored children, those who can least afford it, be made to pay for the operating of such a system, or why should they be made to suffer because of such a system. It is not right. There is no justice in it.

ANNOUNCEMENT FOR SUPREME COURT

D. W. Peters, of Jefferson City, has made a formal announcement that he is a candidate for the Supreme Court subject to the Republican primaries next August.

The office of a Supreme Judge is one of great importance and men who seek the office should be those of the highest type and particularly free from race prejudice.

We only know Mr. Peters is a white man, having come in contact with him a few times during the last State legislature. But our friend, Hon. Walthe Moore can do doubt give the inside dope on Mr. Peters' official acts as a member of that body.

Mr. Peters was floor leader of the Republican side of the house and as such, wielded a deal of influence in making the laws. We are pleased that Mr. Moore was there, and no doubt, he will tell who Mr. Peters is, from inside information.

The minister who preaches the doctrine of the Ku Klux Klan may truly be called a wolf in sheep's clothing. The Ku Klux Klan is an institution of the devil, and the fellow who preaches its doctrine, is nothing less than an agent of Satan himself.

We are doing our best to see what the Governor, Attorney General and the law enforcement officers are going to do about the lynching at Excelsior Springs before we condemn them.

There is no immigration quota on the dollars Europe owes us. Results speak louder than words.

Stay sober. Even a full moon gets down to its last quarter.

Economy doesn't hurt business, but business puts a crimp into economy.

Why not put a little of the religion they're trying to keep out of politics into the politicians?

The life problems of some people consist in adding insult to injury.

Past is past and present is present and ne'er the twain shall meet.

Consistency is a jewel that doesn't cost a six-months' salary to acquire.

How do they expect us to drive correctly and read all the traffic signs at the same time?

The world pays high tribute to talent, while it starves genius; still talent could not exist without genius having first created its program.

Comment and Opinion

Devoted to a Discussion of Social and Civic Problems and Events by
GORDON H. SIMPSON
Executive Secretary, Urban League of St. Louis

SOME OBSERVATION ON THE HOUSING SITUATION

Some relief from the overcrowded housing conditions faced by the colored people of St. Louis may be seen in the large number of houses, flats and apartments which have been built during the past two years in the extreme west end of the city. This relief may come, however, not in a direct way, but in an indirect way, through the gradual moving westward of hundreds of white families living in the east, south and north parts of the city.

The millions of dollars invested in the tremendous building program which has taken place in the extreme west end and in the county, cannot continue to remain idle, as some of them have for several months, without a great deal of loss to the investors. The houses and flats which are demanded for houses in these newer and exclusive sections must inevitably tumble and their owners are willing to continue to sustain big losses on their investments.

The South end of St. Louis has caught up its building program with the demand of housing for its steadily increasing population. In the opinion of the writer, however, it does indicate a possible source of relief from the present crowded conditions.

If this theory is correct, then the next few months should see a gradual exodus of white people from the sections adjacent to the territory already occupied by our group and a gradual displacement of white people in some of that territory by colored.

Such a transition is going on in Leander avenue from Morgan street to Easton, wherein, during the past three months we have witnessed numerous moves to members of our group as well as the entrance of at least a score of colored renters.

There is danger, however, in the present situation, particularly in some parts of the section east of Grand avenue where property is for sale to colored buyers. The danger lies in the fact that many of the houses are old and more or less in need of repairs. They are located where ground values are relatively high and repairs are also high, due to the competition for living quarters. Because of this condition buyers planning to buy a piece of property in this territory ought to make sure he is not buying a "white man's house" but a safe investment. Not only must the prospective buyer figure the initial payment, on a piece of property, and his ability to meet the mortgage on his second deed of trust as well as the regular interest notes on his first deed, but in addition he also pay his taxes, insurance and water rates; but he also must allow for whatever repairs may become necessary on his property during each year. This includes painting, decorating, plumbing repairs, replacing broken windows, roofing repairs, asphalt, etc. Failure to consider these fundamental things in the purchase has been largely responsible for some of the criticism aimed at our group because property is alleged to run down in some few instances this condition has been due to the above lack of foresight, while in others there has been indifference.

One thing needed now to help in our housing problem is a general increase in the price which keeps a house painted, repairs made when they are needed, and an appreciation of the effect of the looks of "my" house as compared with my neighbors.

JUNIOR IDEAS

Edited by LORETTA E. OWENS

EDITOR'S NOTES

The Love of Nature. (Concluded)
This happy sensibility to the beauties of nature should be cherished in young persons. It engages them to contemplate the Creator and His wonderful works; it purifies and harmonizes the soul and prepares it for moral and intellectual discipline.

But not to insist longer on those tender emotions that are peculiar to the early years of nature, may it not be affirmed of all men without exception, or at least of all the matured and sane of mankind, that they are gratified by the contemplation of things natural as opposed to artificial? Doubtless, slight pleasure, but a moment, if they please at all, for they derive their charm from the beauty and grandeur of the world, and quickly over, I have read, indeed, of a man of rank in Sicily (in days of old) who chose to adorn his villa with pictures and statues of the most unnatural deformity. To say of anything that it is contrary to nature, denotes censure and disgust on the part of the speaker; as the epithet "unnatural" is an agreeable quality, and seems for the most part to imply that a thing is as it ought to be, suitable to our own taste and congenial with our own constitution.

Think with what sympathy we would pursue a poem in which nature was totally misrepresented, and principles of thought and of operation supposed to take place repugnant to everything we had seen or heard of; to which, for example avarice and coldness were ascribed to youth, in which cruelty and envy were productive of love, and beneficence and collection of hatred and justice and fortitude were held in universal contempt.

Do think how we should regard painting when no regard was had to proportions, color, or any of the physical laws of nature; where the eyes and ears of animals were placed in their shoulders; where the skin was green and the grass crimson; where trees grew with their branches in the earth and their roots in the air; where men were fighting after their heads were cut off ships sank with their hulls enlarged and their bows, fishes sporting in the woods and elephants walking on the sea; where figures and characters gave pleasure, or merit the appellation of the sublime or beautiful? Should we hesitate to pronounce that author mad? No, for the absurdities of mad men are not proper subjects either of amusement or of imitation to reasonable things.

ORATORICAL CONTEST

A Glance at the Progress of The Negro Race (Concluded)

In the recent World War, of the 310 colored soldiers who received French decorations for bravery, 60 of this number were commissioned officers. There are hundreds of things we could relate of the Negro's brave service during the World War, but giving only a glance at the progress of our race we must hasten on.

Leaving patriotism, we will call your attention to Negro fraternities. There are more than sixty-six in the United States with a membership of more than 2,000,000. More than \$20,000,000 worth of property and these organizations are giving much attention to the improvement of the health of their members. Since the losses on the United States many thousands of dollars, because it is estimated that the annual loss to the South by sickness and death of the colored race is \$300,000,000 and half of this amount is said by health improvement.

There are more than 29 libraries for colored in the United States, ten of these being in the South. There are more than 779 colored lawyers, two of whom are women. The first colored lawyer admitted to the bar in the U. S. Supreme Court was John S. Roch, February 1, 1885, and the first colored woman, Charlotte Ray.

—By Kewpie Oreal Westberry.

A GLANCE AT THE PROGRESS OF THE NEGRO RACE

Never in the history of the world, have the rapid strides in progress taken by the Negro Race been paralleled. City races is indeed a short time for a race to find itself.

When the situation is considered from every viewpoint, the growth of the Negro race was not only poor and ignorant but was suffering, slowly dying under the greatest yoke of humiliation and degradation ever instituted—that of slavery. When those gallant chains were broken, the race was more helpless than a newborn babe. They had no tendency, no creature, just born to freedom's light, no soothing voice to guide its way, ignorant, bleeding from the lacerations that they should go, were the only unlikeliness of the babe. It has slowly but surely raised itself from the dirt and from sin until it now demands recognition as a race and will not be again lowered to the earth by threats and intimidation. This once stretched, shivering race has emerged from deepest superstition to modern enlightenment; from total darkness and utter ignorance to the dawn of knowledge. And all the members of this race have entered every field of life's work it is possible for man to engage in.

(To be concluded next week)
—By Kewpie Mary J. Reynolds.

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Room for five more boys which will be granted to the first five to apply. Applications may be filed not later than 5 p. m. Sunday, August 23, at the County Jail, Room 702. Y. M. C. A., 2346 Pine (Room 702).

Market Street Business Men Organize

An organization of Market street business men has been formed, embracing merchants on Market from 12th street to Jefferson avenue; from Market to Locust.

As a first step towards the improvement of their welfare, it was decided by all members to close up their places of business every Friday at 6 p. m. except Drug stores, confectioneries, etc., thus allowing the members one night in the week to enjoy themselves with their families.

It is stated that white and colored will cooperate in the movement.

BILL COLLECTOR SHOTS COLORED WOMAN IN FLA.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., August 19.—A. D. Thompson, 18 (white), is being held here without bond for the serious

wounding of Mrs. Beale McIntosh, colored. The youth, a NE collector, is alleged to have shot Mrs. McIntosh during an altercation over a bill. She was taken to the county hospital in a serious condition.

WORLD WAR VETERAN HAS HIKED 12,000 MILES

LOS ANGELES, Calif., Aug. 19.—Dr. Harry T. Daily, author, physician and wireless operator, was proclaimed the world's greatest hiker last week when he arrived here from Boston, Mass., having traveled the complete 4000 mile route on foot. It terminated his third transcontinental hike. Dr. Daily will return to Boston where he intends to prepare to

walk from that city to the Panama Canal, a distance of about 6,000 miles. Dr. Daily took 3 months, 2 days and 9 hours to make the transcontinental trip. He was received by Mayor Baker of San Diego.

Dr. Daily is a hero of the World War. He bears seven machine gun wounds, a bayonet wound and a shrapnel wound. He was twice gassed and shot at.

Associated Negro Press

WILKINSON, R. C., Aug. 12.—Sister Perry, 40, died at the Good Samaritan Hospital Sunday morning, from injuries received when he was run down by an automobile driven by Bennie Weddiger, a Yellow Cab taxi driver. Perry was a brickmaker. The driver of the "death" car was released.

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 29th

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Special train leaves St. Louis Union Station 11:30 p. m., Tower Grove Station 11:40 p. m., Saturday, August 29th, arrives Memphis, 7:40 a. m., Sunday, August 30th. Returning, leaves Memphis 11:25 p. m., Sunday, August 30th, arrives Tower Grove, 7:15 a. m., St. Louis, 7:33 a. m., Monday, August 31st.

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CHICAGO RIVALS N.Y. AS MECCA FOR NEGROES

WASHINGTON, August 19.—Characterizing that section of New York City, known as Harlem as "The World's Largest Negro City," the "Negro's World Capital," the "Negro Zion," and as the "Mecca for all Negroes who seek opportunity with a capital 'O'" a versatile writer, Mr. Chester T. Crowell, presents a very fair and interesting sociological story in a recent issue of "The Saturday Evening Post" concerning that much talked of community or city within a city. A careful analysis of the facts, however, seem to indicate that Harlem is a Mecca only for colored people in the Atlantic seaboard states, the West Indies and in our outlying possessions. People from these places, in addition to the native New Yorkers, constitute 52 per cent of the colored population in the "Negro's Zion."

Out in the great Middle West, on the shores of Lake Michigan, is another "Mecca," but not a "Zion" including Alabama, which is not on the Atlantic seaboard, the states that have contributed more than 50 per cent to the colored population of Chicago are located in the Mississippi Valley and west of Pennsylvania. In the North and Georgia in the South, Chicago is called the "Industrial Mecca," and because our growth there depends two large banks with two million on deposit, several prominent business men have been known to

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Professor East stated his "Decalogue" as follows:

1. Emigration forced as an economic necessity by population density affords no permanent relief to the homeland, because the emigrant releases re-establishes the old equilibrium.
2. Conditions in this country are today and will continue to be such that newcomers will meet increasing bitter competition, which must be accepted under unfavorable conditions and often with a linguistic handicap.
3. Immigrants who come with a lower standard of living tend to reduce our own standards.
4. Immigrants who are relatively incompetent when compared with the native and there are many such—create a heavy burden because of our tendency to think in terms of a minimum wage.
5. Incompetent immigrants are expensive fellow-citizens because they add to the tax rates; that is to say, they require more than a fair share of the public money to be spent for benevolent institutions.
6. Huge numbers of foreign-born lead to a foreign-policy based on expediency rather than sound principles. There are numerous groups to placate.
7. Large groups of foreign-born prevent us from developing a unified national culture.
8. Excessively rapid growth leads to the dissipation of natural resources too quickly.
9. Immigrant competition tends to stifle the native population.
10. Immigration, when forced by economic necessity, tends to lower the biological quality of the race.

What else could be expected? The one great reason for emigration from Europe, whence nearly all our immigrants come, is that overpopulation has made the struggle hard, because only the fittest can succeed and remain there in more or less comfort, while the remainder must migrate or remain as the submerged fraction of the populace. Except in rare cases, it is not the grimmest or even the superior who come to us for refuge, it is the inferior who are forced out by economic pressure. If we take them; neither their descendants nor their descendants can have a fair chance when this same type of struggle comes to this country in the not far distant future. It is a serious matter.

A. E. Cane of the Massachusetts Agricultural College declared the competition of cheap foreign farm labor with American farmers. He pointed out that it was estimated that 200,000 or more Mexican immigrants are coming into the United States legally or illegally every year, and that sugar and beet culture, cotton raising and vegetable growing in certain parts of the country were calling for cheap labor.

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In referring to the colored American, Barclay stated that his country was in need of their services and offered them unusual opportunities.

William Eastman, Mass., Aug. 19.—The immigration question, a thing of vital concern to the colored American, has a real champion of restriction laws in the U. S. in Professor Edward M. East, Harvard expert on population problems.

Prof. East has said all of his conclusions on sound economic, social and political doctrines.

Speaking on "The History of the Immigration Question" before the Immigration Commission at the Institute of Politics here last week, Prof. East read a "Decalogue on Immigration," setting forth arguments for the restriction of immigration by the United States.

He said the most important reason was that low-grade immigrants would eventually make Americans unfit to face the most bitter struggle for existence which will come as our population continues to grow. Even now, he said, 25 per cent of the population are "undesirable" in that they are unfit to deal with the conditions of modern life.

Professor East caused a tempest at the institute two weeks ago when he criticized Stuart Anderson, a demand for emigration outlets for Italy's surplus population. A storm of protest from Italian circles over the Harvard professor's statement that birth control was the only rational solution of Italy's overpopulation problem, and that Southern Italy had been sending "the dregs" of her population to America in recent years.

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SECOND BAPTIST—KINLOCH, MO.

The Kinloch Baptist church closed

its services Sunday morning, August 16,

1925, with an excellent service of song

and prayer. The church was

represented during the meeting

Dr. Hales of Ferguson and congre-

gation were present. First Baptist,

St. James and Sanctified churches

were represented in full. The baptis-

ms will be held the first Sunday in

September. Dr. G. Jenkins of

Memphis, was the speaker for the

evening. He is one among the

best speakers to be heard. His ser-

mons were so very touching until

the audience, their hands and

came out to hear this great man

of God. Kinloch welcomes this God-

send to the church. Our finances

amounted to \$102.85.

Rev. William D. Anderson, Pastor.

NAZARENE BAPTIST

Webster Groves, Mo.

Services were fine all day Sunday.

The Sunday School is progressing

well. The church is holding a

series of lectures on the subject "Liberty"

which was thoroughly taught.

The church services were held

and Rev. J. W. Brandon preached a

wonderful sermon from St. John 17.

Text: "The Same was in the world

with God." Remarks were made

by the pastor. We are glad to have

brother S. T. Tyler out with us again.

Prayer service every Thursday.

Rev. S. T. Tyler Pastor; Pearl C.

Wise, Reporter.

SOUTHERN MISSIONARY BAPT.

S. Kinloch, Mo.

The Southern Missionary Baptist

Church held its regular service Sun-

day morning, August 16, 1925. The

Sunday School increasing in attend-

ance. Brother Jones preached a

splendid sermon every Thursday.

Rev. B. Y. U. had several visitors,

one from the city. At the evening

service, Rev. G. W. Hall preached a

strong sermon subject "God Will

Fight for You." Our pastor was

present. The evening service was

held at the Union Association

in the city. He represented

the church at the convention and brought

back a splendid report.

Rev. Jas. Chandler, Pastor.

FIRST BAPTIST

Kinloch, Mo.

Sunday School was opened with a

splendid attendance. At 11 a. m.

the pastor delivered a wonderful

sermon. At 3 p. m. a program was

rendered and the messengers report was

heard from the Antioch Association.

We are urged every member to be

present next Sunday morning. Next

Sunday at 3:30 the Mission Circle

will have their rally. Everybody is

invited.

Rev. W. L. Johnson, Pastor; Edna

Roberts, Reporter.

WEBSTER GROVES, MO.

By H. J. Simms

Rev. W. P. Fisher arrived last week

from a very pleasant trip. He spent

in Chicago, Ill. Rev. R. E. Lee and

a part of his congregation attended

the South Seaside Revival at the

St. Paul Church, last Thursday, in

which Rev. George Jenkins had the

meeting in charge. At the close of

the service, Rev. W. L. Johnson

of Elwood, Mo. who died August

11 at his home, 4222 Vincennes Ave.

in Chicago, Ill. was buried at the

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our many friends

for kindness and sympathy shown us

in the bereavement in the loss of

our son and brother, Dr. Elwood

Lewis; also Revs. J. H. Boone and R.

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The sick of our city are as fol-

lows Mrs. Warren of Meacham Park

now in Barnes Hospital for an opera-

tion. Mrs. Spates, also, has undergone

an operation and seems to be doing

fine. Mrs. Florence Latham is the

happy mother of a fine baby boy.

Edward Wheeler is still up and Mr.

Peter Elkins is improving. Mr.

Mrs. C. C. Taylor took a trip to

Charleston via Cairo, Ill. Sunday

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Mr. Beal is now in French Lick Springs, Indiana, for a much needed rest, this being his first vacation in eight years. After his stay at the Springs, Mr. Beal will take a special course in funeral directing, which will enable him to render more efficient service to the public as a funeral director.

During the absence of Mr. Beal, the business will be in charge of Miss Beal, who, with the aid of five competent men, will give the same prompt and efficient service.

The City of St. Louis is again reminded of what a wide-awake, honest, business like man of our race can do by concentrated efforts.

The above cut is an exact likeness of the remodeled home of Beal Undertaking Company, which has just been completed. The present building has cut-stone and white enameled brick front, French doors and windows which transform it into an edifice of charm and dignity. The building comprises eighteen rooms including a general and private office, a private reception room for the bereaved family, ladies' and gentlemen's rooms, casket and storage rooms, a large sanitary morgue and a beautiful chapel. The newly-erected chapel has a side door, which cast a soft, gentle light upon the interior, lending a sympathetic air to the room. Besides its front entrance there is a side door, leading from the chapel to the covered driveway by which the attendants may enter the cars protected from inclement weather.

The other special feature is the guest chamber—a neatly furnished bed-chamber for the use

of out-of-town patrons who have charge of funeral arrangements or a relative, who must spend one or more nights in the city. They have but to notify the office and their transportation to and from the depot and the guest chamber will be furnished them free of charge.

The entire arrangements throughout the establishment show much thought and study for the comfort and accommodation of their patrons.

The new, modern garage will house sixteen automobiles, all cadillac service.

The Beal Undertaking Company stands out as a monument of the race—the natural result of concentrated efforts, patience, courage, honesty, years of toiling and sacrifice, and that bulldog determination to win. Efficiency and courtesy have been the basis of the undertaking business.

Mr. Beal started in the undertaking business September 13, 1913, 2726 Lucas Ave., his present location, in a two-story residence, using the first floor for office, chapel and morgue, and the second floor for living quarters. By his untiring efforts and courteous service, with the assistance

of his competent daughter, Miss Birdie Beal, he has built up a business second to none of its kind, owned and operated by members of our group.

In 1921, they added to the business a chartered Benevolent Burial Association to which a joining fee of \$3.60 per family entitles each member of family to a \$100.00 burial. This Association has proven a wonderful success as well as a blessing. It has enabled many families to bury their departed ones who otherwise would not have been able to do so. The Association has paid out \$2800.00 in policies.

The Beal Undertaking Company will open their West End Establishment, 4229 W. Finney Ave., about October 1, 1925, with all modern conveniences for the accommodation of their West End patrons. Mr. L. V. Atkins will have charge as manager and the same courteous, sympathetic service that has always characterized the Beal Undertaking Company will be accorded the patrons of the new establishment.

MISS BIRDIE BEAL
Miss Birdie Beal, Secretary and Treasurer of Beal Undertaking Co., has the honor of being the first colored lady licensed embalmer in the State of Missouri. She graduated from Alexander Embalming College in 1914 and passed the required examination for State License at the Marquette Hotel of this city. Miss Beal came to St. Louis at the age of 12 years, from Jackson, Tenn. His wife being an invalid, Mr. Beal sent for his oldest daughter to educate her in his bookkeeping for his future business. Miss Beal is a competent business woman, having entered the undertaking business with her father and has devoted her time ever since to the development and improvement of their business. Her pleasing quiet manner has won for her many friends, both in St. Louis and other cities. Miss Beal stands out prominently as an example of what the Negro women of St. Louis are really contributing to our race and to greater St. Louis. What she has done, other young women of our city may do if they are willing to pay the price of the finer, better things of life.

SNOW HILL NORMAL GETS NEW PRINCIPAL

Associated Negro Press.
ST. LOUIS, Aug. 20.—Snow Hill Normal and Industrial Institute, a school for young colored men and women located at Snow Hill, Ala., famed because of the excellent work it has done here in the literary and athletic fields, has named its principal in the person of Mr. Harry Higgins, Tuskegee graduate and distinguished agent for the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

This school was founded by William F. Edwards, also a Tuskegee graduate, in 1882. After thirty-three years service, Mr. Edwards' health demands his resignation from active service. Since its modest start in a shanty, he has watched its twenty-four buildings, covering a space of 125 acres of land with a total valuation of approximately \$100,000.

Principal Higgins has the hearty approval of the Board of Trustees and the good wishes of both the white and colored people of the community.

Mr. R. O. Simpson, prominent southern business man, and chairman of the Board of Trustees of this institution, in outlining the attitude of the white citizens, said: "The Snow Hill thing, some years ago the government sent into our midst a young man who rode horseback down the hills and valleys of Wilcox County, Ga., and as a Farm Demonstrator. This young man was liked and admired by all who knew him. Some months ago the local Board of Trustees and the Northern Group, in making over the list of colored educators for the principal of Snow Hill Institute, decided that this young man should come to us. He has come with the endorsement of the Northern Group of Trustees and many prominent educators of the Negro race. This young man comes to us with the years added to his experience. He is no stranger and we are glad to have him as the principal of this institution. I hope and pray that the people of this community will cooperate with him, and give him full endorsement because one man cannot accomplish the work without the indorsement of the people."

In response to this address, Mr. Simpson said: "The Snow Hill Institute that you have today would not have been a possibility without the cooperation you gave Mr. Edwards. A greater institution than you now have is possible only with your continued interest and co-operation. The school needs you as never before, and it is an evident fact that you need the school." Mr. Simpson said: "It is important just now that we form a right attitude toward this work. You are familiar with the message of a scripture where Moses commanded to take off his shoes

because he was standing 'on holy ground. If there is any ground in America that should be considered 'holy' by the Negro, it is that ground that has been bought by the acceptance of countless friends of humanity, and dedicated to the training of 'Negro youth.' Active preparations are being made for the coming school year."

WHAT PRICE IS GLORY?

Associated Negro Press.
Contemplate, if you will, the tempestuous scenes which our eyes, given our girls, are making daily to behold a diabolical charge that our country, when they first did 'over there.' These are not war clouds, but peace is trying. The course that straws the dangers of every day is of the simple, fundamental sort. It is for a short while since Daniels, the Pullman porter emulating the great English soldier Sir Philip Sidney, by the spirit as he told those who brought scorn to 'take care of that little girl first.' The days pass, and a Negro, Tom Lee, careless of the danger inherent in rescuing downing, have done the lives of thirty-five of his white fellow citizens. In far-off Santa Barbara, where the aristocratic life of the three of them, an orphanage comes and a Negro is the voluntary hero. This Negro, five brave dancers, where the ponderous waves of the Pacific wash over the shores. Daniels died within a week of the Atlantic. He labored for the cause of the three of them, proving that their courage and resourcefulness were native to the breed, that the English soldier is a traitor wherever you find them. Easter Hill, a 12-year old colored girl, saved the lives of three in Baltimore and Ohio passenger train by discovering danger and giving the proper warning. Two boys, Edna and Lancelotti Mitchell, just this past week, dove in to the historic Monongahela and lost their lives trying to save Joseph H. Waters, a white lawyer, who wanted to die. This is the record of the race that is being made. It is the daily chronicle of the papers.

Is it for glory's sake that this trial must go on daily? Is it for glory's sake that a 'con' is such a thing? It must be glorious to die for those who deny and persecute you. How large might be our measure of devotion in a land of true democracy? After our deeds of valor the individual Negro gets a kindly look of recognition and the virtue of the race is forgotten. Lee saved more than a score of white people, saved their lives and their insurance companies' money, yet so soon was his valor forgotten that it was service difficult that enough money was secured to buy him a home. Easter Hill was given a nearly one hundred dollars and modified praise.

What price glory? Our glory is gained with the sacrifice of all that most men hold dear. Robbed of all things cherished by the spirit we carry on. Let the lyncher stay, the overseer stay, Jim Grogan in every way and, however that very dignity which shapes our civil glory will still be ours because of the heroic sacrifice of our children and our children's children.

INTEREST OF CHILDREN SOUGHT IN EFFORTS TO SAVE HOME OF WRITER

Hop to Convert South Broadway Home of Eugene Field Into Library.
Works Liked By Children
Two online newspaper associates of Eugene Field are in a movement to save the St. Louis home of the poet on South Broadway, a library and museum. Action was made necessary to save the St. Louis home of the poet on South Broadway, a library and museum. Action was made necessary to save the St. Louis home of the poet on South Broadway, a library and museum. Action was made necessary to save the St. Louis home of the poet on South Broadway, a library and museum.

first seven months. At the same time they would make it between \$40,000 and \$50,000 by the end of the year.

This deed of the Babes is the biggest single thing any group ever did for the Association in a financial way. Our reports from Babes since January 1, 1925, till July show \$22,663.50 for the Branches of the National Offices, and we have not all of the reports. There are still about 30 contents pending, and others will be organized.

This, you remember, is the TENTH CRUSADE, and the Crusaders are the Brown Babies. It is the crusade that will not fail, even if other generations of Babes may fail for ultimate success. The NINTH CRUSADE was waged by the Brown Mothers of these Babes, under the leadership of the late Mary B. Talbert, and it raised about \$14,000 for the fight for freedom.

The 1925 contents have been truly national, and were held from New England to California— from New Bedford and New Haven to Los Angeles and San Francisco. The results of these contents was St. Louis with over \$1500; then Cleveland with over \$1000; then Baltimore and Orange with nearly \$300 each; then Detroit with nearly \$800; and the following with over \$500 each, Kansas City, Mo., New Haven, Conn.; and Springfield Ill., and each of the following groups were now being formed to emulate the example of the Babes. The boy is the father of the man.

New York Letter Carrier Fails to Identify Vandals

Preston News Service.
NEW YORK (City), Aug. 12.—The Richmond County grand jury met Thursday at St. George and examined 23 more witnesses in its investigation of vandalism against the home of Robert Browne, letter carrier, 67 Fairview avenue, Carterton Hill, L. I., who charges a concerted effort has been made by white neighbors to drive him out of his home and the neighborhood. None of the men were able to throw any light on who stoned Browne's home, July 17, smashing windows, destroying flower beds, and breaking down fences and damaging the premises generally.

Headaches were invented as excuses for backing out.

The grand jury adjourned until Saturday at which time it planned to bring in report of its findings and recommendations. The grand jury charged that the men who requested the court that John Doe indictments will be returned. Browne and his wife, who is a teacher in Public School No. 11,

Bishop Declares Foundation of America Being Shaken

Associated Negro Press.
ROUND LAKE, N. Y., Aug. 12.—Bishop Robert E. Jones of the Methodist Episcopal Church declared here Friday in an address before the Men's Council that the foundations of American democracy are being shaken by race barriers and race animosity. The Bishop further pointed out that the good natured, docile Negro

is being transformed and he is becoming resentful of the treatment accorded him. "If we will keep in mind," said the Bishop, "that the Negro does not want philanthropy but justice, that he wants a chance and an approach to this subject of race relations that will give us finally an entirely different result, to what we have had heretofore."

Never say 'age before beauty' to anyone who is really elderly. You can't tell whether they've passed the line of indifference.

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